Block, Mangolpuri are served by the regular service of Route Nos. 231, 232, 568, 709, 808, 939, 940, 943, 953, 959 and Shramik Sewa.

(b) Introduction of more number of Green Line Express Services is dependent upon the Fleet position of DTC and demands of the commuters. At present due to Fleet constraints there is no proposal to introduce Green Line Express Services in this route.

(c) Does not arise.

Replacement of overaged buses

3226. SHRI RAM NARESH YADAV: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that over 34 per cent of D.T.C. buses are overaged and require replacement; if so, the number thereof;

(b) the number of those which are to be replaced this year and at what cost; and

(c) the provision being made for the purpose this year?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) As on 29-2-92 approximately 32.11 per cent of DTC buses were overaged and required replacement. The number of such buses is 1400.

(b) and (c) There is a balance provision of rupees 7.88 crores in the Revised Estimates 1991-92 for purchase of 131 buses under replacement account.

Augmentation of Central Road fund

3227. SHRI ASHWANI KUMAR: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether any decision has been taken by the Cabinet on the note made on the advice of the P.M. Office regarding the augmentation of the Central Road Fund, circulated on 12th August, 91 amongst the appraising agencies for their comments;

(b) if so, what is the present position;

(c) by when the C.R.F. would be augmented in accordance with the Resolution passed by Parliament on 13th May, 1988 for the year 1989-90 and the Eighth Five Year Plan; and

(d) the amount likely to be allotted to Uttar Pradesh and Bihar and by when?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) Since decision about actual augmentation of the Central Road Fund as per Revised Resolution adopted by Parliament on 13.5.1988 is yet to be taken, it is too early to indicate the target date of augmentation of the Fund and actual allocation to be made against that to various State including Uttar Pradesh and Bihar.

Plying of Private Buses

3228. SHRI YASHWANT SINHA: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that some of the highest revenue earning routes have been captured by unscrupulous elements in the capital who are plying buses in the city without valid permits though they have displayed the words under STA permit, on their vehicles;

(b) whether Government propose to cancel the registration number/permits of such buses; and

(c) if so, the number and categories of the buses and action being taken against them?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT